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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	4 045	3 126	3 200	3 735	3 961
Unemployment rate	%	10.4	7.8	7.7	8.9	8.9
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	8 858	9 107	9 482	9 478	-
Taxable individuals	no.	34 734	36 087	36 847	37 996	-
Taxable income	$m	1 198.9	1 298.2	1 390.8	1 483.9	-
Average taxable income	$	34 518	35 975	37 746	39 053	-
Net tax	$m	264.3	295.1	315.8	335.1	-
Average net tax	$	7 608	8 178	8 571	8 820	-
Average net tax ratio	%	22.0	22.7	22.7	22.6	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	31 293	32 436	33 123	34 011	-
Wage and salary income	$m	993.5	1 067.2	1 138.7	1 204.4	-
Total income	$m	1 047.8	1 125.4	1 200.9	1 272.4	-
Average wage and salary income	$	31 747	32 902	34 377	35 411	-
Average total income	$	33 484	34 696	36 255	37 411	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	3 200	3 389	3 470	3 624	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	4 122	4 188	4 137	4 173	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	4 015	4 069	4 086	4 118	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	3 443	3 568	3 684	3 724	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	1 739	1 873	1 999	2 203	-
Males - Total	no.	16 519	17 087	17 376	17 842	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	3 220	3 424	3 384	3 480	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	3 583	3 600	3 670	3 614	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	3 546	3 561	3 626	3 654	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	3 287	3 462	3 617	3 764	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	1 139	1 303	1 449	1 654	-
Females - Total	no.	14 775	15 350	15 746	16 166	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	6 420	6 813	6 854	7 104	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	7 705	7 788	7 807	7 787	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	7 561	7 630	7 712	7 772	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	6 730	7 030	7 301	7 488	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	2 878	3 176	3 448	3 857	-
Persons - Total	no.	31 294	32 437	33 122	34 008	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	2 843	2 882	2 981	-
Professionals	no.	-	6 389	6 485	6 677	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	2 085	2 114	2 172	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	3 801	3 795	3 849	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	769	759	732	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	5 436	5 417	5 669	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	1 948	1 951	2 059	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	3 588	3 674	3 745	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	3 360	3 409	3 517	-
Not Stated	no.	-	2 708	2 632	2 605	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	32 927	33 118	34 006	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	2 137	2 110	2 006	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	70.6	73.9	74.2	-	-
Total income	$m	76.7	79.7	78.6	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	33 056	35 027	36 965	-	-
Average total income	$	35 893	37 772	39 196	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	1 080	1 045	965	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	25.5	24.6	23.6	-	-
Total income	$m	28.5	27.3	26.8	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	23 636	23 527	24 471	-	-
Average total income	$	26 378	26 102	27 781	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	3 217	3 155	2 971	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	96.2	98.5	97.8	-	-
Total income	$m	105.2	107.0	105.4	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	29 893	31 218	32 907	-	-
Average total income	$	32 699	33 907	35 488	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	3 375	3 354	3 207	3 234
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	1 305	1 449	1 686	1 764
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	1 014	1 119	1 224	1 215
Total businesses	no.	-	5 694	5 922	6 117	6 213
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	633	735	621
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	327	387	294
Total business entries	no.	-	-	960	1 122	915
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	690	750	537
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	36	48	222
Total business exits	no.	-	-	726	798	759
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	327	330	360	378
Mining	no.	-	18	12	9	6
Manufacturing	no.	-	348	333	336	306
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	3	0	0
Construction	no.	-	1 020	1 071	1 131	1 155
Wholesale trade	no.	-	213	234	246	252
Retail trade	no.	-	828	867	849	834
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	210	240	243	249
Transport and storage	no.	-	381	372	345	366
Communication services	no.	-	45	45	60	57
Finance and insurance	no.	-	366	390	420	444
Property and business services	no.	-	1 254	1 353	1 401	1 428
Education	no.	-	48	33	33	39
Health and community services	no.	-	333	342	360	363
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	129	132	135	132
Personal and other services	no.	-	171	165	189	204
Total businesses	no.	-	5 694	5 922	6 117	6 213

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	2 873	2 832	2 785	2 817	2 802
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3 035	3 047	3 038	2 960	2 940
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 161	3 167	3 181	3 197	3 116
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3 367	3 404	3 418	3 451	3 589
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	3 077	3 173	3 284	3 435	3 562
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	2 748	2 782	2 785	2 796	2 819
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 835	2 830	2 830	2 845	2 841
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	2 775	2 751	2 776	2 755	2 807
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	2 963	2 987	2 956	2 992	2 962
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	2 759	2 847	2 920	2 903	2 920
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	2 501	2 534	2 601	2 697	2 776
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	2 043	2 185	2 272	2 409	2 521
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 610	1 640	1 686	1 776	1 902
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 440	1 451	1 430	1 496	1 552
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 350	1 326	1 338	1 332	1 366
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 043	1 095	1 119	1 120	1 140
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	626	659	703	749	797
Males - 85 years and over	no.	425	427	435	463	484
Males - Total	no.	40 631	41 137	41 557	42 193	42 896
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	2 708	2 695	2 681	2 695	2 735
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	2 851	2 836	2 846	2 778	2 794
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 096	3 060	2 991	3 026	3 003
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3 407	3 450	3 525	3 529	3 520
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	3 274	3 347	3 360	3 443	3 542
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	2 823	2 823	2 801	2 821	2 793
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 998	3 045	3 025	2 936	2 835
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	2 967	2 908	2 941	3 005	3 058
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3 082	3 128	3 140	3 137	3 117
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	2 848	2 910	2 994	3 095	3 176
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	2 701	2 728	2 728	2 787	2 855
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	2 131	2 309	2 434	2 544	2 663
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 756	1 778	1 831	1 912	2 035
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 611	1 613	1 634	1 738	1 795
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 634	1 602	1 561	1 540	1 582
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 591	1 593	1 591	1 572	1 590
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 049	1 102	1 146	1 259	1 318
Females - 85 years and over	no.	1 028	1 005	1 039	1 056	1 130
Females - Total	no.	43 555	43 932	44 268	44 873	45 541
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	5 581	5 527	5 466	5 512	5 537
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	5 886	5 883	5 884	5 738	5 734
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	6 257	6 227	6 172	6 223	6 119
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	6 774	6 854	6 943	6 980	7 109
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	6 351	6 520	6 644	6 878	7 104
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	5 571	5 605	5 586	5 617	5 612
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	5 833	5 875	5 855	5 781	5 676
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	5 742	5 659	5 717	5 760	5 865
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	6 045	6 115	6 096	6 129	6 079
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	5 607	5 757	5 914	5 998	6 096
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	5 202	5 262	5 329	5 484	5 631
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	4 174	4 494	4 706	4 953	5 184
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	3 366	3 418	3 517	3 688	3 937
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	3 051	3 064	3 064	3 234	3 347
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	2 984	2 928	2 899	2 872	2 948
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	2 634	2 688	2 710	2 692	2 730
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 675	1 761	1 849	2 008	2 115
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	1 453	1 432	1 474	1 519	1 614
Persons - Total	no.	84 186	85 069	85 825	87 066	88 437
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	119.5
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	0.7
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	4.2
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.3

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Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	8.3
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	3.4
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	2.0
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	10.0
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	6.4
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	17.2
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	12.8
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	50.2
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	10.9
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	19.4
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	15.4
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.7
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	14.1
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	11.4
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	6.3
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	11.3
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.5
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	8 790
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	1 457
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	21 714
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	31 958
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	7 678
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	1 564
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	8 211
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	2 978
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	1 095
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	364
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	21 890
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	65 501
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	14 084
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	41 264
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	27 764
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	91.8
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	0.7
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	7.4
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	23.3
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	21.1
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	8.7
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.3
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	12.1
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	33.4
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	22.6
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.6
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	56.5
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	1 045	1 000	1 021	1 066	1 138
Total fertility rate	rate	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8
Deaths	no.	776	708	716	690	731

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Standardised death rate	rate	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.1	6.9
REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June						
Number of Offences						
Offences against the person	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	no.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Rate per 100,000 population						
Offences against the person	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Offences against property	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Drug offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
All offences	rate	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH - year ended 31 December						
Males	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-
Females	years	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	738	770	779	690	719
Total dwelling units	no.	809	847	872	875	767
Value of total residential building	$m	124.0	152.0	165.8	163.6	155.8
Value of total non-residential building	$m	43.0	61.5	57.1	60.8	67.9
Value of total building	$m	167.0	213.5	222.9	224.4	223.7
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	2 119	1 975	2 258	2 412	2 264
Other vehicles	no.	1 026	1 165	1 299	1 494	1 449
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	3 145	3 141	3 558	3 905	3 714
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	48 183	49 492	50 801	52 223	53 128
Campervans	no.	154	170	179	196	205
Light commercial vehicles	no.	9 147	9 572	9 962	10 316	10 769
Light rigid trucks	no.	277	294	317	362	436
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	1 146	1 176	1 131	1 193	1 284
Articulated trucks	no.	264	264	278	298	312
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	298	300	333	308	283
Buses	no.	399	398	404	440	450
Motorcycles	no.	1 883	1 931	1 972	2 094	2 173
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	61 752	63 598	65 373	67 427	69 039
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	572	582	592	600	601
Campervans	no.	2	2	2	2	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	109	113	116	118	122
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3	4	4	5
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	14	14	13	14	15
Articulated trucks	no.	3	3	3	3	4
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	4	4	4	4	3
Buses	no.	5	5	5	5	5
Motorcycles	no.	22	23	23	24	25
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	734	748	762	774	781
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	15 829	13 751	11 826	9 965	8 430
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	38 501	42 000	45 434	48 835	51 305
Diesel	no.	3 728	4 198	4 614	5 168	5 812
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	3 694	3 650	3 498	3 459	3 493
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	38 023.4
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	4 242.8
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	237.3
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	3.5
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	4.1
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	971.2
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	113 476
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	4 269
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	11 773
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	22 132
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - year ended 31 December						
Road traffic major injuries	no.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-	-
Road traffic injuries	no.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	739.9

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